

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Acharya et al.
Serial No.: 10/698,126 Examiner: Anish, S.
Filed: October 31, 2003 Art Unit: 2443
For: NETWORK ROUTE CONTROL

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in the above-identified application.

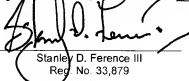
1.

Extension of Time

- ☒ No extension of time is needed.
- ☐ Applicant requests an extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. A Petition for an extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

CERTIFICATE OF EFS-WEB FILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being filed with the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, by EFS Web on February 12, 2010.


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February 12, 2010
Date of Signature

2. Submission Required Under 37 CFR 1.114

- ☐ Previously submitted
☐ Please enter the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _____.
☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____.
☐ Other _____.

☒ Enclosed
☒ Amendment/Reply
☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
☐ Other _____.

3. Miscellaneous

- ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.

☐ Other _____.

4. Fees

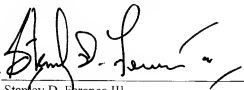
- ☐ Applicant encloses herewith a check for \$_____ to cover the RCE fee.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$810.00 RCE fee to **IBM Deposit Account No. 50-0510**.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to **IBM Deposit Account No. 50-0510**.

Respectfully submitted,

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